
Title: Method of Ressurec- ting via Channeling

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Several theories exist concerning possible wellsprings of magical energy and many a mage hath spent their lifetime in research to prove a particular theory correct or flawed. However, one common theme among these theories is that there art places on Sosaria where great magical power exists naturally. Why these places exist is a matter of speculation. Theories I hath encountered include: they art the residue of the very magic that created this world; or the gathering place of mages of great power such that their magical energies eventually permeated the place; or possibly an event of such a cataclysmic release of arcane energies that the very rock was imbued. I would suggest that it could be any of these things. That such places exist is the significant point.

What is notable about these places is that the magical energy can be tapped if a mage knows the proper procedure. It is by no means an easy task, and many a mage hath

perished in the attempt when sufficient groundwork was not completed. From my experiments and research I would make the following recommendation. Due to the immensity of power that can be tapped this task must have a group of mages; a single mage however skilled is too frail a vessel to contain such forces. A group of mages working in conjunction channeling or focusing the energy to whatever task is at hand is required.

This should be done very cautiously once again And with proper form. As with most magic it should be balanced. If magic is allowed to rage unchecked then it becomes destructive and will likely cause the death of the unsuspecting mages channeling the raw magical energy.

My research to this point hath mainly been focused upon using this energy to enhance the effects of the highest circle of spells known to mages those of the eighth circle. It is rumored that others circles might exist and perhaps in another lifetime I will take on the challenge of researching this. As I have no penchant for spells of a possible violent outcome, I chose

instead, to research
the idea of restoring
life to those spirits
that seem most lost,
beyond the reach of
spells currently
possible. Such as the
angry ones that oft
attack me upon my
wanderings around
our fair isle.

After great research I
hath decided that I
hath sufficient
understanding of the
forces involved to try
this experiment soon.
My research has
revealed the following
structure for my
ritual:

Eight mages are
necessary four to
channel creative
energies and four to
channel destructive
energies. This
provides the balance
necessary. The
obvious significance
of four need not be
explained. These
mages must be of
great skill. They
must be of sufficient
magical ability to be
able to naturally cast
the eighth circle of
magic.

A place of great
magical power this
can be someplace
where the spirit
itself generates
magical power or a
place such as I
described above.

An item of pure form
this must be an object
that can withstand
extremely powerful
raw magical energies.
I hath found that
certain gems of rare
quality can channel

small amounts of
energy well if I can
find a gem of
extraordinary
properties then I
believe it would work
well for the
experiments I have
planned. However,
please note that this
really must be a rare
item indeed. Not just
any stone or item will
work as most have
some flaw that will
interfere with the
channeling and this
interference can be
very deadly to the
channeler.

The mages must form
a circle around the
item in the place of
power and all must
focus their minds and
thoughts on the gem
and feel the energy
pour through it. Then
as they all come into
harmony the spirit
must enter the circle
of power, as must the
corporeal form. As
the spirit is restored
the body is destroyed
and recreated with the
spirit attached by the
forces of the magical
energy.

It is my wish to begin
as soon as I receive
thy approval and
funding. Obtaining
the pure item will no
doubt require a
sizeable investment,
but one, I assure thee,
thou wilt be more than
amply rewarded for
with the success of
this endeavor.